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MEMORANDUM FOR: Robert W. Gambino
Director of Security

25X1A FROM:

[redacted]
Chief, Community Security Group

SUBJECT: Comments on [redacted] Proposal

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25X1 1. Per your request, I have read [redacted]
[redacted] proposal, "Personnel Risks and Re-Optimization
of U.S. Space Systems."

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2. Essentially I believe the proposals oversimplifies tremendous tasks and offers vague avenues of approach all of which depend very heavily on extensive input of very sensitive data by the Government, fails to identify authoritative knowledgeable investigators and promises a panacea in 90 days to problems the government has been working on for thirty years. With the interests already going in this arena, e.g., polygraph studies of possible testing procedures to predict security hazards, we might do better by concentrating on what we have underway.

25X1A 3. Contact with [redacted] of the NRO gives me to believe they are not going to sponsor this proposal. I also heard from [redacted] that your name was used in [redacted] 25X1A
25X1A pitch to [redacted] as supporting the concept. The NRO will remain neutral if you wish to fund the [redacted] study. 25X1

4. I suggest we let this one fade. Is there any action I can take for you on this?

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